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SAINT LOUIS ADVERTISEMENTS.

NANSON, DAMERON & CO.,
COMMISSION AND FORWARDING
MERCHANTS,
No. 88 SECOND STREET,
SAINT LOUIS, MO.

JOS. S. NANSON, late of steamer Kate Howard.
C. H. BREWSTER, of Booneville, Mo.
LOAN D. DAMERON, late of Glasgow, Mo.
M. HILLARD, late of steamer Kate Howard.
Jan-ly.

C. D. SULLIVAN & CO.
Jewellers, Watch & Clock Makers
No. 30, Fourth St., St. Louis, Mo.

A large and well selected assortment of
clocks, watches, jewelry, silver spoons, &c.,
constantly on hand for sale low.
All kinds of jewelry made to order and neatly
repaired. Engraving neatly executed, and all
orders promptly attended to.
The highest prices paid for old gold and
silver.
April 3.

JONES' COMMERCIAL COLLEGE,
2 E. CORNER WASHINGTON AV. AND THIRD ST.
ST. LOUIS, MO.

ESTABLISHED IN 1841.

A full course of instruction in this institution
embraces Double Entry Book-keeping,
Commercial Calculations, Commercial Law, and
Penmanship.
Special instruction given in the art of de-
tecting Counterfeit Money.
Gentlemen can enter for the courses separately,
and at any time, instruction is imparted in-
dividually, and not in classes, each department
being independent of the other, and under the
control of a Professor educated for the special
duties of that department in which he is em-
ployed.

For circulars, containing information in regard to
the Terms, Course of Instruction, Rules for
Detecting Counterfeit Bank Notes, Weights of
Produce, Tares allowed on Produce, etc., or
call at the Book-keeping Department, or address,
JONATHAN JONES,
St. Louis, Mo.

R. P. HANENKAMP. Wm. A. HYNES.

HANENKAMP & HYNES,
WHOLESALE GROCERS
Commission and Forwarding
MERCHANTS,
No. 93 Second Street, between Locust and Vine
(East side),
St. Louis, Mo.

Particular attention paid to sales of Hemp
Tobacco, Grain, Bacon and Lard.
[Decb]

BEN F. CRANE & CO.,
DEALERS IN
Watches, Clocks, Jewelry,
Gold, Silver and Plated Ware.
FINE TABLE AND POCKET CUTLERY.
Has removed to corner Fourth and Locust
Streets in
ODD FELLOWS' HALL,
ST. LOUIS, MO.

FULTON IRON WORKS,
Second and Carr Street, St. Louis.

GERARD B. ALLEN,
MANUFACTURERS High and Low Pressure
Steam Engines, for river and land service.
Boilers, Sheet-Iron work,
Saw and Grist Mill Machinery,
Tobacco and Lard Scales, and Castings of every
description.
Circular Saw Mills of the Patent and Child's
(March 18, 1858-19)

J. E. YEATMAN. G. R. ROBINSON. J. J. GARRARD.

YEATMAN, ROBINSON & CO.,
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
Corner 2d & Green Sts.,
St. Louis, Mo.

Special attention paid to the sale of
Hemp and produce generally.

HENRY I. LORING & CO.,
WHOLESALE
BOOKSELLERS, STATIONERS,
PAPER DEALERS AND
BLANK BOOK MANUFACTURERS,
No. 136 MAIN STREET, OPPOSITE STATE BANK MO.
ST. LOUIS, MO.

R. I. LORING. R. D. PATTERSON. C. F. LORING.

WE beg leave to call attention to our large
stock of SCHOOL BOOKS, comprising
all the popular series now in use throughout the
South and West.

STATIONERY,
Both American and Foreign, in endless variety.
Cap, Letter and Note, of all the various qualities,
ruled and plain; Flat Papers, Colored Papers,
glazed and unglazed; Printers' News, of all the
usual sizes in general use, Crown, Medium,
Double Crown, and Super; Medium, Green
Wrapping, together with a large assortment of
Wall Paper, Bordering and Paper Window Shades.

BLANK BOOKS,
Day Books, Ledgers, Journals, Invoice Books,
and Bookkeepers' all of first quality of paper
and superior style of binding. Also, Past Books,
Memorandum Books, Copy Books, &c.

We respectfully ask a call, feeling certain that
we can give satisfaction in every particular.

HENRY I. LORING & CO.
P. O. Box 1000, St. Louis, Mo.
B. C. Bean Cotton and Linnen Rags taken in
exchange for Goods.
Feb 17, 1859-ly.

S. H. BAILEY,
WHOLESALE CONFECTIONER,
No. 74 Third Street, St. Louis, Mo.

WOULD respectfully call your attention to
his large and complete assortment of Large
and Small Stick Candy, Sugar Plums, Almonds,
Candies, Rock Candy, Kisses and Lotenges. Al-
so, to his fine Kist Papers, Fancy Boxes, Cor-
nucopias, &c., for Confectionery. His articles
are manufactured expressly for the country trade,
and their superior quality is well attested by the
large and increasing sales, and the already well
established reputation which they have acquired,
believed to surpass that of any other establish-
ment in St. Louis.

Orders solicited and promptly attended to.
Jy 18, 1859.

T. M. LARKIN. J. R. LARKIN. C. W. WALTER.

THOS. H. LARKIN & CO.,
Commission Merchants,
AND
Wholesale Grocers,
No. 30 Levee and 60 Com. Street,
SAINT LOUIS.

Special attention given to sales of Hemp
and Grain.
Feb 9, 1860.

HOSSETT'S Bitters, McLean's Strength-
ening Cordial, Bull's Worm Destroyer,
and Cod Liver Oil, Wolf's Schiedam Schnaps,
&c., for sale by
CROPP & WILLIAMS,

ST. LOUIS ADVERTISEMENTS.

ARTIST'S EMPORIUM
J. SPORE,
No. 32, Fifth St., St. Louis, Mo.

WHERE can be found at all seasons the largest
and most complete assortment of
Artists' Materials, Engravings, &c.,
To be found in St. Louis. I am prepared to ex-
ecute all kinds of Fancy and Ornamental Paint-
ing, Banquet, &c.

Artists and Amateurs will find at my establish-
ment Crayons, Crayon Paper, Water Colors, &c.,
in abundance.
All work and materials warranted to be equal
to any in the city, and on as liberal terms.
Remember the place, 101 Fourth street,
Ten Buildings, above Locust.
Feb 2, 1860. JAMES SPORE.

TATUM & CO.,
Commission and Forwarding Merchant,
No. 160 Second Street,
ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI.

PARTICULAR attention paid to the sale of
Tobacco, Hemp, Wheat, &c., and to the re-
ceiving and forwarding of Produce and Merchandise
generally.
N. B.—We always keep on hand a large stock
of Hydraulic Cement, Plaster of Paris, and Plaster
of St. Louis, of best quality.

E. D. PARKER. C. C. BRANHAM.
Late of Providence, Mo. Late of Weston, Mo.

PARKER & BRANHAM,
COMMISSION & FORWARDING
MERCHANTS,
No. 42 North Second St., bet. Ches. and Pine St.,
SAINT LOUIS.

WE will give prompt and special attention to
Forwarding Goods, Produce, &c., and
to the sale of Hemp, Grain, Tobacco, the product
of the Hog, &c.

Consignments and orders Solicited.

REFERENCES:
Branham, Kaiser & Co., St. Louis, Mo.; Park-
er, Russell & Co., St. Louis, Mo.; Bell, Tilden &
Co., St. Louis, Mo.; Thos. H. Larkin & Co., St.
Louis, Mo.; Robt. Campbell & Co., St. Louis,
Mo.; Conners & Kennell, New Orleans, La.; Kil-
gore, Wilson & Co., Philadelphia, Pa.; Garrett,
Spears & Co., Paris, Ky.; Tyler, Davidson & Co.,
Cincinnati, O.; Maj. J. S. Collins, Columbia, Mo.;
Exchange Bank, Columbia, Mo.; Bartholow &
Robbins, Glasgow, Mo.; Wm. Linckrick, Lexington,
Mo.; Geo. T. Miles, Weston, Mo.; J. S. Clark &
Co., Kansas City, Mo.; Dennell & Saxton, St. Jo-
seph, Mo.
CHAS. A. M'NAIR. JAS. L. MORGAN.

CHAS. A. M'NAIR & CO.,
Manufacturers
Chewing Tobacco,
Of all Grades,
Water Street, Glasgow, Mo.

Referring to above card, we beg leave to an-
nounce to the public that we have this day as-
sociated with us business, Mr. Jas. L. Morgan,
of Lynchburg, Va., and solicit for the new com-
pany, a continuance of the liberal patronage hereto-
fore extended to us. With increased facilities
for buying and manufacturing good chewing
tobacco, we can guarantee satisfaction to all who
give us a trial.
JANUARY CHAS. A. M'NAIR & CO.

J. LORMIS,
APOTHECARY AND DRUGGIST,
Glasgow, Mo.

Store—Corner of First and Market Street.

KEEPS CONSTANTLY ON HAND, A
full stock of Pure and Genuine
Medicines and Drugs,
as well as everything else usual to be found in
APOTHECARIES AND DRUG STORES.
Jan 19, 1860-ly

BOOTS & SHOES.

FRESH ARRIVAL.
THE subscribers respectfully announce
that they are now in receipt of their
new stock of

SPRING AND SUMMER
Boots and Shoes, to which they invite the at-
tention of their old friends and patrons, and the
public generally. Our stock of

Ladies Shoes,
is especially desirable, and we are satisfied with
great satisfaction, in style, workmanship, and price.
Children's shoes in great variety and price.
We are also specially prepared to give
prompt attention to all orders for work, of any
description, and have a good stock on hand, of our
own manufacture.
STEINMETZ & FRANZEN.

DISOLUTION.
THE co-partnership heretofore existing be-
tween Bauman & Hannaca, was dissolved by
mutual consent, on the 24th March, 1860. A.
Hannaca is authorized to close up the business of
the old firm, and use its name for that purpose.
BAUMAN & HANNAKA,
only.

BOOTS & SHOES.

A. HANNAKA, Boot and Shoe Manu-
facturer, keeps constantly on hand a
good supply of work, of his own manufacture,
made of the best material, and workmanship war-
ranted. A call respectfully solicited, and all or-
ders promptly filled.
Shop on First Street, next door above Wil-
liams' corner.
mar 29

The Thorough-bred Horse,
RAINBOW,
WILL stand the present season at my
stable, four miles from Glasgow, Mo.,
on the road to Roskoff, at the low price of
\$10 to insure a mare in foal.

DESCRIPTION AND PEDIGREE.
Rainbow will be five years old in June
next; he is a dark bay, without white, 16 hands
high, with great beauty and symmetry of form.
He has taken premiums at all ages.
He was sired by the celebrated horse Lambs,
he by the renowned imported Priam. His dam
was by the great race horse Trumpeter; dam by
Eratus. For further particulars, see bill. Season
now commenced and will end 4th of July.
A. ALDRIDGE.
March 14, 1860-4

INSURANCE, ETC.

BY STATE AUTHORITY.

INCREASE OF CASH CAPITAL.



DEVOTED TO
Fire Insurance Exclusively.
(CHARTER PERPETUAL.)
CASH CAPITAL, --- \$100,000.00
CASH ASSETS, --- \$119,081.66
S. J. LOOMIS, President.
H. KILLOGG, Secretary.
Branch Office, 31 & 33 West 3d St., Cincinnati
M. MAGILL, General Agent.

Agents in the principal cities and towns of the
Union.
LOSSES PROMPTLY PAID.
Applications received, and Policies issued, and
renewed by O. HENDERSON, Agent,
aug 11 Glasgow.

THOMSON, LEWIS & CO., AGENTS
AETNA
INSURANCE COMPANY,
HARTFORD, CONN.



CHARTERED, 1819.

CAPITAL, ONE MILLION DOLLARS
Cash Assets
\$2,080,428 80,
THE AETNA INSURANCE CO. has been in
successful operation FORTY YEARS, and
during that period has promptly paid losses in
Glasgow, --- \$6,070 25.
L. D. DAMERON, --- \$32,000
W. WATLAND & Co., --- 945.00
JONES & LORING, --- 240.75
F. A. SAVAGE, --- 147.00
DAMERON, MASON & SHEPHERD, --- 70.70
HARRISON & Co., --- 234.00
NORRIS & BATHURST, --- 240.75
BARTON & SHACKLEFORD, --- 48.67
HARRISON & Co., --- 450.00
The total losses paid by the Aetna Insurance
Company amounts to over
TWELVE MILLION DOLLARS,
of which above amount
\$885,000.00
Has been paid to citizens of MISSOURI alone.

The Annual income of the Aetna Company is
more than DOUBLE that of any similar Cor-
poration in this country; and its assets are of the
most secure and reliable character, among which
will be found \$7,450,000 of Missouri Bonds
and Bank Stock, and in point of ability and favor-
able reputation for prompt and equitable adjust-
ment of claims, the Aetna Company stands un-
rivalled.

Underwritten, Agents, are authorized to im-
mediately issue Policies against loss by

FIRE,
on Buildings, Stocks of Merchandise, Ware Houses
and Contents,
TOBACCO AND HEMP IN BARNS,
and personal property generally. Special atten-
tion paid to the insurance of Dwelling Houses and
Contents, for a term of 10 to 20 years.
The undersigned also issues Policies of
Marine Insurance,
and in this department offers superior facilities to
Merchants and shippers, by open or contract pol-
icies, and monthly returns of 25 per cent. of the
Premiums granted to regular customers.

The Aetna Company has advantages through its
extended system of Agencies, established along
every inland route, whereby it exercises due care
over property in transit, and in its management
that prompt attention and supervision which gives
to its customers the least trouble, expense or loss,
and affords a speedy means of recovery and prompt
forwarding of damaged property.

Losses Promptly Adjusted and Paid.
The promptness of all who desire undoubted in-
surance, is respectfully solicited.
Policies issued, and renewed, by
THOMPSON, LEWIS & CO., Agents
aug 11 for Glasgow and vicinity.

COVENANT MUTUAL
LIFE INSURANCE
COMPANY
OF SAINT LOUIS.

Office, north-east corner Second and Pine
streets, basement Boston's Saving Institution, St.
Louis.

WHAT IS LIFE-INSURANCE?—1. It is the ex-
ercise of prudence, of benevolence 2. It secures
independence, domestic happiness to the widow
and orphans in case of premature death, and
thereby relieves the moral and domestic comfort
of the people, and in its tendency to reduce taxa-
tion, by its reduction of pauperism, and possibly
of crime, than the legislation of our wisest states-
men, and if universally adopted, would be a na-
tional blessing. 4. It affords to persons of every
class, and in every station of life, the means to
avoid much future misery to their families, and to
render them independent of public or private
charity.

While it is the manifest and imperative duty of
every parent, during his life-time, to embrace all
honorable means of supporting and advancing the
interest of his offspring, so it is equally his duty
to avoid leaving them at his death to grope their
way in helpless poverty through an uncharitable
world; and equally apparent is the duty of every
husband to provide in case of his death, for the
support of his wife and children.

GERARD B. ALLEN, President.
Hon. SAM'L TREAT, Vice President.
ISAAC M. VEITCH, Secretary.
CHARLES CLARK, Gen. Agent.

I. P. YATMAN, Medical Examiner, Glasgow.
CLARK H. GREEN, Agent, Glasgow.
Mar 2. C. MATTOS, Agent, Fayette. april 15

THE TIMES.

TERMS OF ADVERTISING.

One square, ten lines or less, one insertion, \$ 1 00
Each additional insertion per square, 30
One square, three months, 4 00
Six months, 6 00
Twelve months, 9 00
Two squares, three months, 6 00
Six months, 9 00
Twelve months, 12 00
Quarter of a column, three months, 10 00
Six months, 15 00
Twelve months, 20 00
Half column, three months, 15 00
Six months, 20 00
Twelve months, 25 00
Column, three months, 25 00
Six months, 40 00
Twelve months, 60 00

Professional or business cards of six lines
or less will be inserted for six dollars per year.
Advertisements of a personal nature, will be
charged at the rate of two dollars per square, and
payment required invariably in advance.

The fee for announcing a candidate for office
is three dollars, and no such announcement will be
made unless paid in advance.

All advertisements, not marked with the num-
ber of insertions, will be published till forbid and
charged for accordingly.

Advertisements out of the direct line of busi-
ness of the yearly advertiser, such as legal, auc-
tion, runaway slaves, straps, &c., will be charged
for separately at the usual rates.

Stay notices two dollars, and one dollar addi-
tional for each animal, where more than one is
advertised—in advance.

Mason & Dixon's line is the bounda-
ry line between Maryland and Pennsylv-
ania, surveyed by two able and learned Eng-
lish surveyors at the expense of the heir
of William Penn and Lord Baltimore. It
cost the Penn family in the neighborhood of
\$100,000. Mason & Dixon measured
an acre of the meridian in the course of their
survey; and this measurement is cited now
in works on astronomy, having being one
of the measurements by which the figure of
the earth was ascertained.

The New Orleans Bulletin says that
a tannery firm there has been putting the
numerous alligators which swim lazily
about the bayous and swamps of Louisiana
in the sun to useful purpose. They have
been making their hides into leather, and a
capital article it is said to be. Quite a
number of the citizens were wearing shoes
made of it and spoke of it in high terms.

Plain Words Plainly Spoken
In an article on the subject of the State
Convention of the Democrats, on the Morn-
ing of the meeting of that body, The
St. Louis Republican spoke as follows:

"A note from Jefferson in-
forms us, that one of the preliminary steps
agreed upon by the managers there and in
St. Louis, is to be the introduction of a res-
olution, becomingly worded, reading the
Republican out of the Democratic Party."

That takes us hugely! What little char-
acter and prominence has been given to
many of these gentlemen, they owe to the
Republican, and we rather incline to the op-
inion that the power that has made, can
unmake them, if that should ever be neces-
sary.

We don't believe the people, who
look to us for information on political topics
and who have always reposed a just degree
confidence in us, will think any better of
these politicians, even if they should at-
tempt to read us out of a party which hap-
pens to have in its body elements of so
useless and mischievous a character. Let
them crack their whips as soon as they
please."

Horse Race.—On Monday, 2d, there
was a great race over the Metairie course
for the Crescent Post Stake. The two most
illustrous horses in the United States,
"Lexington" and "Revenue" (both of whom
were exhibited at the St. Louis Fair, last
fall) were represented by their progeny.
The "Lexington" horse being "Daniel
Boone," and the "Revenue" horse being
"Planet," "Sigma," by "Epsilon," also
was a competitor.

Planet is the celebrated Virginia horse
belonging to the Messrs. Dowell, that has
won every race that he ever started for
from one to four miles, and has been re-
garded by his friends as invincible. In
this race, however, he was beaten by Dan-
iel Boone in two straight heats, in the ex-
traordinary time 3:38 1/2—3:36 1/2—the best
consecutive heats, that distance, ever run
in America. Sigma was distanced the sec-
ond heat.

Daniel Boone, the winner of the race,
was bred by John M. Clay, Esq., of Fay-
ette county, Ky., he is by Lexington,
out of a Glencoe mare, and was sold by
Mr. Clay last winter to Mr. Cottrell, of
Mobile, for \$3,000. This race places him
among the best race horses in the United
States.

Half of the secrets in the world are
disclosed in order that those who possess
them may let their friends know that they
hold them.

Our Candidates Department has some
new names in it:

The Maiden and the Hero.

On the night of the battle of Brandywine,
I was sent with a message from General
Green to Count Pulaski, a noble Polisher,
who took a prominent part in our struggle
for freedom. He was quartered in a neat
farm house near the upper forts. After our
business was finished, the Count asked me
to take some refreshments, and at the same
time called out:

"Mary, my lass, Mary!"
In an instant a rosy cheek girl entered,
her face beaming with joy, it would seem,
at the very sound of Pulaski's voice.

"Did you call me, Count?" said the maid-
en, timidly.

"How often have I told you, little love,"
he said, bending his tall form to kiss her
cheek, not to call me Count: call me dear
Pulaski. This is a Republic, my little fa-
vorite, we have no Counts, you know."

"But you are a Count, sir, when at home,
and they say you came a long way over the
ocean to fight for us."

"Yes, Mary, very true—I did come a
long way—the reason was I had to come.
Now, can you get for this gentleman and
myself a little refreshment? He has a long
way to ride to-night."

"Certainly, sir," and she went out of the
room like a fairy.

"Fine, pleasant girl, said Pulaski, 'would
that I had the wealth that I had once! I
would give her a portion that would send
half the youth hereabouts after her sweet
face.'"

On the morning of the 11th of Septem-
ber, 1777, the British army advanced in
full force to Chadd's Ford, for the purpose
of crossing Brandywine Creek, and bring-
ing on an action with Washington. Sir
William Hall, drove Maxwell's division
across the creek by ten o'clock at one of the
lower fords.

The Hessian General Knyphausen, with
a large force, advanced upon the creek and
uniting with Lord Cornwallis who com-
manded the left wing of the army, crossed at
the upper ford of the river and creek. It
so happened that during the conflict, when
carrying orders, I passed immediately in the
direction of Pulaski's quarters, that I had
visited the night before. Suddenly a sheet
of flame burst forth; the house was on fire.
Near the doorsteps lay the body of Mary.
Her head cut open by a saber, and her brains
oozing out the terrible wound. I had been
there but half a minute, when General Pu-
laski, at the head of a cavalry, galloped
rapidly to the house. Never shall I forget
the expression on his face, as he shouted
like a demon on seeing the inanimate form
of Mary:

"Who did this?"
A little boy, who had not been before no-
ticed, lying on the grass with his leg dread-
fully mangled, replied:

"There they go!"
He pointed to a company of Hessians then
some distance off.

"Right-wheel men, charge!"
And they did charge. I do not think that
one man of that Hessian corps ever left the
field, except to be placed in the grave.

The last of Pulaski was on the Battle-
field of Brandywine. He and his sweet
Mary fell on the same field.

Editorial Compliment.—Congressmen in a
Small Business.
Washington Correspondence Republican.

The general Editorial excursion, gotten
up by the officers of the Baltimore and Ohio
Railroad, and to which allusion was made
in my last letter, is now a prominent topic,
especially among newspaper men here.—
Upwards of two thousand invitations will
be extended to the press—and where any
editors shall be omitted, it will be owing to
failure here to obtain perfect lists of the
papers. Members of Congress have been
requested to look over and correct the lists
of the respective districts, and I regret to
say, several have been guilty of the petty mean-
ness to strike out as discontinued, papers
really in existence, but politically opposed
to the party making the corrections. It is
estimated that at least fifteen hundred Edi-
tors will accept, and many of them will
travel from three to five thousand miles
free of cost. Parties should be certain to
start in time to reach Wheeling by the 3rd
of May, as the special train will leave there
on the morning of the 4th, at 8 o'clock, for
Baltimore. Those, however, who are un-
able to be at Wheeling on the day appointed,
can travel at their leisure, coming or going
within the sixty days fixed by the tickets.
Two thousand tickets are issued, each en-
titled a lady and gentleman to a free pas-
sage. Supposing but fifteen hundred ac-
cept, the excursionists will number three
thousand. The cost of transportation, if
charged, would average \$50 making a total
of \$150,000 contributed by the several
roads to the excursionists. Let there be a
full attendance.

Historical Evidences of the Truth of the Scriptures.

We presume that all our readers are not
aware how rapidly and how remarkable evi-
dence to establish the truth of the Script-
ure records is being brought forth from the
monumental and other remains of the bur-
ied past.

Had the foresight and wisdom of man
been employed, from building of Babylon to
the fall of the Roman Empire, to collect
and preserve from age to age such testi-
monials as might meet and confute the skepti-
cism of the present day in regard to the
truthfulness of the historical portion of the
Bible, it would not have produced so deep-
an impression upon our age as what God
has so wonderfully preserved, and unex-
pectedly produced, when needed most, to
confound all skepticism, and confirm the
faith of Christendom.

The assault which has been made by the
learning and subtlety of the German infid-
els upon the credibility of the Scripture
narrative, has ended as every previous at-
tack upon Christianity has done in estab-
lishing its truthfulness more clearly and
firmly than before. Unbelief is continually
stirred up to fresh attempts, in order to
show, as it would seem, that at every point
the system of Christ is absolutely invul-
nerable.

A few years only have passed since those
treasures of the ancient world, which so
completely, because undesignedly, prove
the truthfulness of Scripture history, were
entirely unknown and when first discover-
ed they were eagerly seized upon, as the very
weapons wherewith to destroy the credibil-
ity of the Bible. The shouts of triumph
with which the celebrated Zodiac of Den-
dora was hailed by the infidel philosophy
of Europe, because upon its first superfi-
cial examination it was thought to sweep
away the whole chronology of the Scripture
narrative, have scarcely had time to die a-
way before Christianity has won for her-
self, and beyond all fear of future reversal
of the world's verdict, the whole field of evi-
dence, as drawn from the authentic re-
cords of every great empire of the ancient
world. Assyria, Babylon, Egypt, Persia,
Phoenicia have come forth from their tombs,
at the bidding of Christian science, and tes-
tify in the clearest manner to the truthful-
ness of those records which from the his-
torical basis of the Christian system.

One of the most impressive proofs of the
genuineness of the book of the Bible, is de-
rived from the late minute and accurate in-
vestigation of travelers in Palestine. Such
is the minute faithfulness of the Sacred
Story, in all things connected with external
things, that it forms the best possible hand-
book for the tourist and no candid man in
traversing that portion of the East with
the Bible in his hand, can escape the convic-
tion that its writers lived among and were
perfectly familiar with the scenes which
they describe.

Every great feature of the scene remains
and presents itself to the eye of the mod-
ern traveler, precisely as they were de-
scribed by Moses and David and the Proph-
ets, and with the exception of the cities and
towns, one knows that he is looking upon
the very scenes which their eye beheld,
and which they described so faithfully, that
they are recognized at once after so many
centuries have passed away. The land of
the Prophets and the wondrous people, the
land of signs and wonders, remains as